

SENATE BILL 3044

By McNally

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,  
Chapter 2, relative to local boards of education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-203(b), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

( ) Apply for and receive federal or private grants for educational purposes.

Appropriations of grant funds shall be made upon resolution passed by the local board of education and shall comply with the requirements established by the granting entity; unless the grant requires matching funds. If a grant requires matching funds then, before a county board of education or city board of education may expend grant funds, its local legislative body shall approve the expenditure and appropriate the matching funds, as necessary.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.